WASHINGTON.

The Senate Differs from Grant on the Cuban Question.

The New Department of Justice a Fixed Fact.

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Akerman Confirmed.

Etc., Etc., Etc.

(Special Telegraphic Correspondence Courier-Journal.)

THE CUBAN QUESTION.

WASHINGTON, June 23.—The Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, this morning, took up the Cuban question and unanimously decided to report as a substitute for the one which passed the House last week a series of resolutions protesting against the conduct of the War in Cuba, demanding the immediate instead of the gradual abolition of slavery, and declaring that the United States regret to witness the extraordinary efforts of Spain, even through violence and blood, to maintain an unnatural jurisdiction in Cuba. These were subsequently reported to the Senate, where they created something of a sensation. It will be noticed that the resolutions are far more decisive of the one passed by the House, and in the recognition of the colonial right which is the recognized measure of the President.

THE NEW DEPARTMENT.

The President has signed the act creating the new Department of Justice, transferring the Attorney General's office and the other law offices of the departments under it. He does not deem the objections to be worth a veto.

SOLGER.

The resignation of Appraiser Treadwell Pomer has been received by the President, to take effect July 1st, when Mr. P. enters on his duties as a Judge of the Court of Appeals of New York.

CRIMINAL LABOR.

Representatives of the workingmen organizations are sending in letters to Senators and members asking for legislation against Chinese labor in this country. An effort to consider the bill failed in the Senate to-day, but it will be considered as soon as the tax bill is disposed of.

NEW APPORTIONMENT.

The House to-day virtually defeated the new apportionment bill by referring it back to the Committee on the Judiciary, who will be unable to report it at this session. The contest over it was very close, a bill being lost by only three or four votes, and the Eastern and Western members dividing almost even on the question. The bill as returned by the Senate provided that, after March 4th, 1871, the House consist of three hundred members, being sixty more than the present number, and twenty-five more than the House had originally named. The Western members moved to accept the increase named by the Senate, which fact united all the elements of opposition, especially among the New England members. The new apportionment was to have been made by the bill in time for the fall elections. The Secretary of the Interior was requested to ascertain by September 20 the basis of representation in the several Congressional districts by dividing the aggregate basis of representation of the United States by the number 240, rejecting any fractions which might remain, and he was required to apportion so many additional representatives to the States having the largest rejected fractions. One to each would make the whole number of representatives—300. The result of the debate on this bill was the proposition for minority representation, which was advocated by members of both political parties, but owing to the reference of the bill no action was taken. The fact that this principle had been engrafted in the Illinois constitution and was applied by New York to the local election was referred to as a great step forward in popular representation. Gen. Garfield cited the case of Ohio in the thirty-eighth Congress, where the Republicans had a majority and yet had but five members of the House to fourteen Democrats, while in the next Congress with less than a change of 20,000 votes the Republicans had nineteen members to two Democrats.

THE INCOME TAX

was again the burden of the Senate debate today. Thus far the discussion inclines to be to a total abolition of the tax. There seems to be a disposition against reducing the tariff, but to abolish the tax on incomes in lieu of it, thus making the revenue sufficiently assured to the Government. If the Senate should vote to-morrow to abolish this tax, it is believed that the House would finally concur. The Secretary of the Treasury and Commissioner of Internal Revenue think, however, that they must have the tax to meet the expenditures of the Government.

AKERMAN.

There is no longer any doubt as to the status of Mr. Akerman. The Senate, in a brief executive session this afternoon, confirmed him as Attorney General without calling the yeas and nays. Some of the Republican Senators who have declared that they were against him did not even ask for a division, and he, therefore, met with no opposition. Mr. Akerman arrived to-night from Georgia, and will probably be installed into the office on Saturday, as he accepts the appointment.

OUR CONNECTIONS.

The Railroad Ordinance Before the Council.

The following ordinance has already passed the Board of Aldermen, and will come before the Council at its next meeting:

An ordinance for the benefit of the Ohio and Mississippi railroad, and other railroads crossing the bridge of the Louisville Bridge Company.

Sec. 1. Be it ordained by the General Council of the City of Louisville. That in order to facilitate the transfer and exchange of business between the various railroads now crossing or which may hereafter cross the Louisville Bridge, now or erected over the Ohio river, connecting with the Louisville and Nashville railroad, and in order more fully to develop facilities to manufacturers, merchants, and all others who may establish warehouses, factories, lumber yards, coal yards, and other places of business along the routes of the various roads coming in and out of the city of Louisville, the right of way be and is hereby granted to the Ohio and Mississippi railroad and such other railroads as may cross the city and desire to use said bridge, to lay down their track or tracks, and the necessary switches from the south end of said bridge to Fourteenth street, also along said Fourteenth street to the southern line of the city of Louisville, and along Kentucky, or Zane street to the Louisville and Nashville railroad depot.

Sec. 2. Be it further ordained. That the Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company shall have the right of way along said Kentucky, or Zane, and Fourteenth streets, to connect the depot or depots of the connecting roads which are now or may be established in the city of Louisville by the various railroads crossing the Louisville bridge.

Sec. 3 Be it further ordained, And it is hereby expressly provided, that the right of way and other immunities and privileges herein granted, are upon the express conditions that the railroad companies shall allow any and all parties, owning property or doing business on the line of any railroad or railroads, to erect switches and side track or tracks alongside and through their property, and to connect with the main track or tracks; and it shall be and it is hereby made the duty of said Railroad Companies, using said streets, to keep their railroad on said switches and side tracks, freight by the car load on the same terms and price, although received and delivered at the principal depot or depots of said Railroad Companies. And provided further, that Railroad Companies aforesaid shall, before entering upon the streets aforesaid, to lay track or tracks, in the switches and side tracks, necessary to facilitate the local and through business, shall severally enter into bond, to be approved by the General Council of the City of Louisville conditioned to pay all cost or damages that may accrue to individuals or the owners of property by reason of the laying down of said track or tracks, and for which the city of Louisville shall not be liable in the use of the same, and to make, grade and pave according to ordinance and keep said several streets along which said tracks may be laid in good order from curb to curb (after the same shall have been made) as may be directed from time to time by the General Council, under the supervision of the City Engineer.

Sec. 4. Be it further ordained. And it is hereby expressly provided that the motive power to be used on the south side of Main street shall be what is called a steam pony or dummy, and the motive power to be used on the north side of Main street may be such steam power as is used by the various roads crossing the bridge, provided that the rate of travel shall not exceed six miles per hour.

Sec. 5. Be it further ordained, That the switches and side tracks aforesaid shall be required to be laid down in the streets aforesaid shall be laid down under the supervision of the City Engineer, and the said engineer expressly reserved to the city of Louisville to change or alter the grades of said streets, and to pass all such ordinances in relation thereto as the public interest may require; not inconsistent with or repugnant to the provisions herein contained.

Sec. 6. Be it further ordained, That all the railroads using the bridge from the north side of the river shall do all local business over the bridge and at depots north of Main street, except for live stock.

Sec. 7. Be it further ordained, That all railroad companies which desire to cross the bridge aforesaid, for the purpose of exchanging freight and passengers, shall do so on equal terms, without being compelled to enter into any combination, as to rates of freight and passengers, and all railroad companies accepting the provisions of this ordinance shall enter into a written contract with the City of Louisville and each other bidding themselves to carry out the provisions of the same before entering upon the streets aforesaid.

Sec. 8. That the Louisville and Nashville Railroad, the Lexington and Ohio, and the Louisville, Nashville and Great Southern Railroad Company shall be permitted wherever they desire the right of way to cross Maple street, and shall take up the track in said street and leave said street in good repair as when the track was first laid, and said companies shall have the right to extend their tracks from a point on Fourteenth street to the Kentucky river, and thence into the Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company.

Sec. 10. Railroad companies accepting the terms of this ordinance shall give bond, to be approved by the General Council, that they will build a bridge over the track on Broadway, of such suitable structure and dimensions as may be named and designated by the City Engineer, and when required by the General Council, But having one year's notice, railroads not to be responsible for damages to property owners by reason of constructing said bridge.

Section II. ordinance No. 343, approved April 3, 1867, is hereby repealed.

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CONGRESS.

Forty-first Congress--2d Session.

SENATE.....WASHINGTON, June 23.

CUBAN MATTERS.

MR. SUMNER, chairman of the Committee on Foreign Relations, reported resolutions as a substitute for the House resolutions in relation to the contest between the Cuban insurgents and the Government of Spain. He asked immediate consideration. These resolutions declare that the people of the United States cannot hear with indifference the reports of barbarities practiced on the island of Cuba in the contest to a raging between Spain and Cuba. The United States protests against these barbarities by both parties, and denounces them as contrary to the laws of civilized nations, and solemnly insist that they be stopped at once. The people of the United States are pained to hear that pretensions to property in man are still upheld by Spain, and 2d, the name of justice and humanity this Government demands that slavery be abolished in all the dominions of Spain on this continent. The United States, having once been colonies themselves, believe the day of European sway on this continent is at an end, and regret to witness the efforts of Spain to maintain her hold on Cuba against the wishes of the Cubans. The people of the United States sympathize with the people of Cuba in their efforts to secure independence, and at the same time sympathize with the Liberal party in Spain, who are endeavoring to secure a free government for that country. The President is directed to communicate these resolutions to the Government of Spain and people of Cuba.

MR. CASSERLY objected to the consideration of the resolutions until they were printed, and they were laid over and ordered to be printed.

CHINESE LABOR.

MR. STEWART moved to take up the bill to prevent the enforcement of Chinese coolie contracts for servile labor.

MR. CASSERLY gave notice of his intention to amend the bill in some very objectionable features. He asked further time for that purpose.

MR. STEWART remarked that each day lessened the probability of passing the bill, while these Chinese importations were increasing. He finally agreed to withdraw his motion temporarily.

MR. WILSON said the Senator from Nevada was forced to make objections made by Senators on the other side of the chamber to let the bill go over, but hoped he would call it up as soon as possible and bring it to a vote. The time had surely come when Congress should arrest this importation of servile labor, either to take the place of the emancipated men of the South or to fill the men of the North. He was opposed to casting a ring fet over the west and gathering up the degraded people of mankind to lower the price of labor and degrade the workmen of the United States.

MR. Stewart's motion was then withdrawn.

THE TAX BILL.

MR. SHERMAN moved to limit debate on the amendments to the tax bill to five minutes to each member, but Mr. Thurman objected.

MR. SHERMAN moved that the bill then remained, and Mr. Scott spoke at length against the retention of the income tax.

Messrs. Buckingham, Bayard, and Thurman followed on the same side.

MR. MORTON defended the tax.

MR. CONKLIN favored and Mr. Corbett opposed the retention of the tax.

After a short executive session the Senate took a recess.

EVENING SESSION.

TEXAS PACIFIC RAILROAD BILL.

Consideration of the Texas Pacific Railroad bill was resumed.

MR. HOWARD continued reading his report, setting forth in detail the alleged discreditable transactions in connection with the sale of the Memphis & El Paso Company's franchise. It also show General Fremont's complicity therein.

MR. SHERMAN delivered his criticism of the bill to discontinue any personal controversies concerning General Fremont and the management of the El Paso road, and to confine the Senate to the enterprise. He alluded to the importance of the road as a much needed enterprise.

Messrs. Wilson, Yumbull, Cragin and Warner expressed their appreciation of Fremont's character.

MR. HOWARD replied by a further criticism of the El Paso scheme and Fremont's standing in connection therewith.

After a discussion of four hours, the Senate, at 5:45 o'clock, rejected Mr. Ivy's proposition to provide for a new set of corporators headed by Gen. Fremont, making the total number with those already in the bill, 19. The bill was then passed, 36 to 6.

A brief discussion ensued upon gauge of road. At 12 o'clock the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE.

PENSIONS.

MR. HAY, from the Committee on Invalid Pensions, reported a bill to pay pensioners whose pensions were withheld from them between the 3d of March, 1865, and the 6th of June, 1866, by reason of their being in the civil service of the Government, the amount of the pensions so withheld.

APPORTIONMENT.

The House then took up the unfinished business of yesterday, the Senate amendment to the bill to provide for the apportionment of Representatives to Congress among the several States by the last census.

The question being on Mr. Judd's motion to concur in the Senate amendment to the apportionment, Mr. Marshall appeared to his colleague to let him offer an amendment.

MR. JUDD declined to withdraw the previous question.

MR. MARSHALL hop d the previous question would not be seconded, as it was an outrage to pass the bill in its present form.

The previous question was not seconded, by 71 to 81.

MR. MARSHALL then offered an amendment providing that in an election by general ticket of two or more members in one State each qualified voter may cast as many votes for such candidate as there are Representatives to be elected or may distribute the same among the candidates as he sees fit, and that the candidates having the highest number of votes shall be declared duly elected.

Messrs. Marshall, Cox, Garfield, and Haldeman advocated the proposition, and were opposed by Messrs. Judd, Bingham, and Boyd.

The House again refused to second the previous question.

MR. SCOFIELD moved to refer the bill and amendments to the Judiciary Committee, and, after further discussion, in which Mr. Logan took part in support of the bill, Mr. Eia offered an amendment providing that the committee on Judiciary should not report any bill to distribute the 435 Congress.

The bill and amendments were th n referred to the Judiciary Committee—yeas, 96; nays, 96.

This is regarded as equivalent to a defeat of the bill, the Judiciary committee standing No. 10 on the list of committees to be called, and it is highly unlikely it can be reached this session. The vote was a sectional, not a party one. The members from the West and South were arrayed reforwards, and those from the Middle and Eastern States for it. There were some few exceptions to the rule.

MR. MAYNARD moved to reconsider the vote.

MR. SCOFIELD moved to lay the motion to reconsider on the table, which was agreed to—yeas, 97; nays 96.

THE GEORGIA BILL.

MR. BUTLER, of Mass., from the Reconstruction Committee, reported back the Senate amendment to the Georgia bill, with a substitute, which was the same as the bill for Virginia, Mississippi and Texas, with a single addition of giving the right to organize militia.

MR. DAWES offered a substitute, recognizing the fact that Georgia, having ratified the amendments to the Constitution, was entitled to representation, and was authorized to organize militia for her protection.

MR. CESENA offered a substitute declaring that Georgia, having complied with the reconstruction acts, and the Fourteenth and Fifteenth amendments to the Constitution having been ratified by her in good faith by the legal Legislature of said State, it is hereby declared that the State of Georgia is entitled to representation in the Congress of the United States.

MR. FARNSWORTH stated that he was an hor rer. A majority of the committee to report as same time.

MR. WOODWARD stated that the majority of the committee had not completed their report, and that the Chair was the case of the majority reports to get out to the House the report of that majority.

THE SPEAKER stated he had refused the gentleman from Massachusetts to be authorized to make the report which he had made, and asked what right that fact was challenged.

MR. BECK said he challeng d it, and stated that the chairman of the committee had made the report only as far as he had gone. He had been authorized to make that report, but he had been forced at the same time to make the whole report of Mr. Farnsworth presented, which was not the report of the majority. He further added that eight of the committee had at first voted for the report of the chairman and seven against it. One of the eight, a Republican from Ohio (Mr. Upson), afterward changed his vote and voted upon the substitute in the hands of Mr. Farnsworth, but was unwilling, lest it might be deemed reflecting on the chairman, to take the bill out of his hands.

THE SPEAKER asked Mr. Beck whether he raised the point that the gentleman from Massachusetts was not authorized to make the report.

MR. BECK said the chairman was not authorized to make it by itself without stating the fact of condition.

The Speaker stated that the only point on which he could rule was whether the report was authorized to be made.

Various amendments were offered by unanimous consent, which, with the bill and substitute, were ordered printed, and, as it was agreed that the discussion will be seconded at 2 o'clock to-morrow.

Adjourn d.

The Origin of "Hurrah!"

The discussion in some of the German papers in regard to the origin of the cry "Hurrah!" still continues. The cry "Hurrah!" was proved by a German writer to have been received by the Germans from the people coming from the East at the time of the "Volkerwanderung." It was then "Harra!", subsequently changed in the wars with the Slaves, Huns and Avars to "Wara!". A writer in the Voss sche Zeitung, who has lived several years in India, gives still further explanation on the origin of these cries. He says:

"The word *Harra!* really *Hari!* was got by the old Germans in the first place from the people who wandered in Europe from Central Asia. The word *Harra (Hari!)* is used to this day among the Hindoos of Eastern India as a designation for God, being one of the names for the god Vishnu. When the Hindoos have anything difficult to accomplish they cry *Hari! Hari!* This is very frequently used by the Hindoo boatmen, when their boat happens to get stuck on a sandbank in the Ganges; putting all their strength together, they call out *Hari! Hari!* and then they almost powers until they bring it afloat. When the boatmen are towing the boat up the stream, and come to a strong current, where the vessel fails to go quickly and accurate over difficult and dangerous parts, the same cry is used. It is probable that the Hindoo soldiers use the cry *Hari!* in war, and the word *Hari!* is used by the Hindoo whenever he is conscious of his weakness, and feels the necessity of divine help. The word *Harri*, *Herrore*, which our forefathers got from the peoples emigrating to Europe from Asia, and from which the cry "hurrah" is derived, signifies "God help us!" and in the mouth of a Christian soldier has the beautiful signification: "God help us, and stand by us, since we have a difficult mission to accomplish, to conquer the enemy, and are in great danger of losing our lives."

The discussion has at least thrown some interesting light upon the origin of a cry which is now used among us with a totally different significance.

W. H. Spencer, of Kentucky; R. W. Thompson, of Texas; G. N. Tillman, of Tennessee; and Jno. B. Wells, of Kentucky, received the degree of bachelor of arts at the recent commencement of Bethany College, Va.

NEW YORK.

The Questionable Descendant of Lola Mon'ez.

She is to be Sent to an Insane Asylum.

Failure of a Well Known Wall Street Man.

Etc. Etc. Etc.

(Special Telegraphic Correspondence of the Courier-Journal.)

MISS MONTEZ.

NEW YORK, June 23.—Princess Editha Gilbert Montez, whose real name is Claudia Solomon, and who professes to be a daughter of Lola Montez, appeared at the Tombs Police Court to-day to confront Mrs. Victoria C. Woodhull and Mrs. Tennie C. Claflin, the female brokers, whom she charges with detaining two diamond rings, valued at $4,000, and treasury notes amounting to $2,000, which property she said she had left with the firm for safe keeping. The defendants stoutly denied the charge. At the examination to-day there were present, beside the Princess, Mrs. Woodhull, Matilda Herron Siegel, the actress, Mrs. Sarah F. Benton, the woman suffragist, Mrs. Francis Miller's sister of Mrs. Woodhull, and other ladies well-known for their advanced ideas on political and social subjects. The Princess was cross-examined by Mrs. Woodhull's counsel. She reiterated the statements she had already made in an affidavit that her charges against the defendant were true, and lifting her eyes toward heaven, exclaimed, "I do swear, so help me God." Several witnesses, among them Mrs. Woodhull, Mrs. Stewart and Mrs. Benton, testified to the unreliability of the Princess' statements. The last-named witness said the Princess had told her many conflicting stories in regard to her life; on one occasion she said she fell down stairs while in a convent in Bavaria and struck her head against the wall. Her head happened to strike a secret spring, a door sprung open and in a small room she saw four nuns in the pains of labor. All the witnesses swore that they did not believe the Princess' story one bit. Mrs. Stoepel testified that she had kindly cared for the unfortunate woman when she was in a most destitute and deplorable condition, and that she never knew her to have any diamonds, money or other property of any value whatever. After hearing the testimony, Judge Dowling dismissed the complainant and gave the prisoner into the charge of the Commissioners of Charities and Corrections, who will probably place her in an insane asylum.

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under Prof. Hart, organized at the Cornell University, sailed this evening in the U. S. Mail steamer North America for Rio Janeiro.

OUR OWN MARKET REPORT.

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YOUNG KENTUCKIAN AGAIN.

NEW YORK, June 23.—Young Edward B. Ketchum, who was sentenced to the State prison for a few months ago, where he served out his time for forgeries committed some years since, has again turned up in Wall street. He has just created a flurry by making heavy sales in Pacific Mail, Ohio and Mississippi, and Rock Island and Lake Shore. His brokers, it is stated, were carrying $5,000,000, and about 50,000 shares of stock, which were forced upon the market yesterday and to-day, producing the decline in prices for both days.

THE GOLD DECLINE.

The decline in the gold market to-day to 111¾ was caused by the failure of Mr. Jas. Boyd, whose principal was unable to respond to his contracts. Mr. Boyd meets with the sympathy of all those to whom he is indebted, and has made a satisfactory statement of his affairs.

THE STOCK MARKET.

A large short interest has been made yesterday and to-day in the stock market. The market closed with an improved tone and firm at the quotations.

SOUTHERN STATE SECURITIES

were lower in Tennessees, higher in North Carolinas and steady in the other bonds.

Base Ball.

PHILADELPHIA, June 23.—The game of base ball to-day resulted as follows:

Athletics.....0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1
Keystones.....2 2 1 1 1 1 5 3 0—16

NEW YORK, June 23.—Base ball yesterday, the Unions, of Morrisiana, got 22 to the Exekords' 15

INDIANAPOLIS.

The International Convention of the Young Men's Christian Association—An Interesting Report of the Executive Committee.

INDIANAPOLIS, June 23.—The Young Men's Christian International Convention was called to order at 10 o'clock by President McLean. After singing a hymn, Dr. Harper, of Indianapolis, read the 19th Psalm, and then led in prayer.

The minutes of yesterday's meeting were read and adopted.

A number of resolutions and communications were presented and referred to committees without reading.

The Chair announced the following Committee on Assignment: Reports, Hon. Wm. Wirt, N. J.; John T. Wheat, Louisville, Ky.; Alfred Landshun, Montreal and Quebec; T. C. Crocker, Milwaukee; Wm. Reed, Cincinnati; Geo. S. Yount, Ontario; H. H. Judson, Memphis, Tenn.; D. L. Small, York, Pennsylvania.

The special order for the morning session being the discussion of the question of what branch of association work is the most important for encouragement during the past year, the discussion was opened by Mr. Wm. Washington, Jr., and continued by Messrs. Kimball, of Penn.; Sylvania; Moore, of Massachusetts; Baldwin, of Connecticut; Hall, of Boston; Stanton, Secretary of Dominions, Iowa; George H. Stewart, of Philadelphia, and others.

The next order of business being the election of the Executive Committee, which, on motion of Mr. Stewart, of Philadelphia, was ordered to be by ballot, and which it may be proper for the convention to consider the advisability of the formation of associations among colored young men. These are already some six or eight of them, and the number is increasing. The prospects are limited. Wm. Correspondence of the committee with some of them has been quite extensive, and as far as can be judged, the associations are considerably improved. If it is not disposed, considering the peculiar circumstances of the matter, to adopt any particular measure for the encouragement o these societies beyond any other branch of association work, it would be a pity to have the same forming a ring fet over the west and gathering up the degraded people of mankind to lower the price of labor and degrade the workmen of the United States.

The Secretary of the Association of the United States and British Provinces made the report of the Executive Committee. The committee calls the attention of the convention to the fact that too little attention is paid to the duties of the Secretaries and complain that circulars are not answered, and that the reports are not returned, and says that this neglect works an injury to the associations the world over, and that the time has come when the Secretaries should be taught the number grows smaller from year to year. The most strong arguments of the opposition to that our secretaries be remunerated on paper, and that the commissioner give the names of those who neglect to answer circulars, and furnish no facts about them. Our opponents say there are paper societies though we have no paper societies. The report says that a single name which is not believed by them to be a society is counted as a society, and that in some representations. A little effort on the part of leading association men in each State, a small additional service on the part of each corresponding member of the executive committee, more adequate apprehension of the truth that these Associations though many of them are small, are doing a work of "no mean" if by some action on the part of this convention the difficulty here adverted to shall be removed this assertion will not have been in vain. A work commanding for the sacrifice we will be watched by the angels of God. Hon. George A. Hall, of Washington, last there engagements at home to carry out in some sort of are if possible the wishes of the Portland convention. Altogether they visited twenty of the leading places in the Southern States.

Of course their stay in each was brief, averaging two days. Everywhere they were received in the most cordial manner. But few of the associations which existed at the time of the Troy convention are now in present existence. Mr. Hall found efforts in progress at New Orleans for the organization of an association when he reached that city. One has been formed in Mobile, since his visit, from which the most encouraging reports have been received. The approach of warm weather rendered it inexpedient to perfect organizations this season, but such steps were taken in the right direction that there has been a steady growth in the Association in all that go to make up the real power for effective service. Not only has there been an increase in numbers, but the number is inconsiderable. In Memphis, for instance, there has been a great increase in numbers, as in Pennsylvania.

Where one year are twenty-one associations and a nominal existence, sixty-six fully organized reports to Mr. Thomas K. Cree, the correspondent secretary for that branch, and steps are being taken to complete organizations in many other towns and cities. In New Brunswick Mr. Clawson has effected a society against three of last year. Mr. Farquha reports an increase of ten in Nova Scotia.

Rob. The committee submits, for the consideration of the convention, the following as some of the topics which seem to arise from the present condition of the associations, and they require to be treated for them calm, temperate and practical discussion in a form so condensed and yet so full as to suggest the main points. It is hoped the proceedings to present to the association of America a body of suggestions from this convention both timely and profitable.

1. What branch of association works has afforded most encouragement during the past year.

2. The difficulties and hindrances encountered during the past year.

3. How shall we best impress upon our members and upon the community a conviction of the permanency of these societies.

4th. The pledge of each person upon joining an association to abstain from the use of intoxicating drinks as a beverage and from the use of tobacco in any form, to be the plain duty of the associations represented in this convention to make ample provision for the pecuniary assistance of the general work of visitation as soon as the season will permit, and this will be by the employment of secretary and by the generous enthusiasm which marks it, and the larger acquaintance which it has secured between the representatives of the convention and the friends of Christian work among the young men in the States, to consult and to hope that the next general gathering of these associations will witness the meeting of delegates from all parts of the continent, as at the Troy convention in 1866 and may God speed the CAY.

The principal part of the correspondence with associations abroad has been conducted by Jas. Stokes, Jr., of this committee, and has been far more extensive than previous, embracing the principal societies and their leading members in Great Britain and Ireland, France, Holland, Belgium, Switzerland Prussia, and the associations scattered in other parts of Europe. Letters of introduction have been given by the committee to a large number of Association men going abroad during the year, and in no instance where he has done so have results been wanting. The same blessing has not crowned the efforts of Brethren who have gone forth in the christian courtesy and fraternal regard with which all such persons have been received by the brethren in Europe. They desire especially to testify to the fullness and interest of the communications which they have received from those from persons more prominently connected with the association work, and particularly from the Earl of London; Mack, of Liverpool; James, of Dublin; Dobson, of Manchester; Van Cott, of York; Arthur, of Annesgrove; Mitchefield, Brail, of Wemsall, and Cole, of Partie, all bearing witness to the sympathy now existing between the associations on either side of the Atlantic in regard to the mighty work which they have in hand.

It is to be stated that the day of prayer recommended at Portland was as generally observed by the associations as in other years. The circular of the committee was reprinted by the Dublin association, and accompanied by one of their own, which, however, was not used. It has been well represented, and it is hoped that the delegates will make the consideration of their representative on the committee a matter of early consultation, to the end that such nominations may be made by the Nominating Committee as the proper committee to the convention as will be available to all.

Written reports have been received from Clawson, New Brunswick; Farquels, Nova Scotia, Rowland, Province of Quebec; Reid, Hartford, Connecticut; Platt Carlton, New Jersey; Ransom, Iowa; Douglass, Vermont; Thompson, Maryland; Barnard, Kansas; Siegel, Ill.; Bowen, Nebraska. The State Convention is gradually securing the position which its importance deserves as an agency for the extension of associations. The past year seventeen were held in States and Provinces, as follows: Ontario, Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Wisconsin, Michigan, Iowa, being three more strictly local conventions than ever before, and very successful. They were not all largely attended, but every one was perraded by the best spirit and the most earnest prayer. The results of all of the declaration that they can hardly be made too prominent a feature in the aggressive phase of our work. In Ohio, Ontario, Iowa and Indiana, the representatives of the various associations formed a State committee and a formal organization and regularly elected officers. In Ohio the plan has so far developed no objectionable features and is strongly commended by the brethren from that State.

4. The best practice recommended by the convention was more generally observed than heretofore. Still many associations failed to do so. It is a theory how indefinite and deplorable condition, and that she never knew her to have any diamonds, money or other property of any value whatever. After hearing the testimony, Judge Dowling dismissed the complainant and gave the prisoner into the charge of the Commissioners of Charities and Corrections, who will probably place her in an insane asylum.

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NEW YORK, June 23.—Young Edward B. Ketchum, who was sentenced to the State prison for a few months ago, where he served out his time for forgeries committed some years since, has again turned up in Wall street. He has just created a flurry by making heavy sales in Pacific Mail, Ohio and Mississippi, and Rock Island and Lake Shore. His brokers, it is stated, were carrying $5,000,000, and about 50,000 shares of stock, which were forced upon the market yesterday and to-day, producing the decline in prices for both days.

THE GOLD DECLINE.

The decline in the gold market to-day to 111¾ was caused by the failure of Mr. Jas. Boyd, whose principal was unable to respond to his contracts. Mr. Boyd meets with the sympathy of all those to whom he is indebted, and has made a satisfactory statement of his affairs.

THE STOCK MARKET.

A large short interest has been made yesterday and to-day in the stock market. The market closed with an improved tone and firm at the quotations.

SOUTHERN STATE SECURITIES

were lower in Tennessees, higher in North Carolinas and steady in the other bonds.

Base Ball.

PHILADELPHIA, June 23.—The game of base ball to-day resulted as follows:

Athletics.....0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1
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INDIANAPOLIS.

The International Convention of the Young Men's Christian Association—An Interesting Report of the Executive Committee.

INDIANAPOLIS, June 23.—The Young Men's Christian International Convention was called to order at 10 o'clock by President McLean. After singing a hymn, Dr. Harper, of Indianapolis, read the 19th Psalm, and then led in prayer.

The minutes of yesterday's meeting were read and adopted.

A number of resolutions and communications were presented and referred to committees without reading.

The Chair announced the following Committee on Assignment: Reports, Hon. Wm. Wirt, N. J.; John T. Wheat, Louisville, Ky.; Alfred Landshun, Montreal and Quebec; T. C. Crocker, Milwaukee; Wm. Reed, Cincinnati; Geo. S. Yount, Ontario; H. H. Judson, Memphis, Tenn.; D. L. Small, York, Pennsylvania.

The special order for the morning session being the discussion of the question of what branch of association work is the most important for encouragement during the past year, the discussion was opened by Mr. Wm. Washington, Jr., and continued by Messrs. Kimball, of Penn.; Sylvania; Moore, of Massachusetts; Baldwin, of Connecticut; Hall, of Boston; Stanton, Secretary of Dominions, Iowa; George H. Stewart, of Philadelphia, and others.

The next order of business being the election of the Executive Committee, which, on motion of Mr. Stewart, of Philadelphia, was ordered to be by ballot, and which it may be proper for the convention to consider the advisability of the formation of associations among colored young men. These are already some six or eight of them, and the number is increasing. The prospects are limited. Wm. correspondence of the committee with some of them has been quite extensive, and as far as can be judged, the associations are considerably improved. If it is not disposed, considering the peculiar circumstances of the matter, to adopt any particular measure for the encouragement o these societies beyond any other branch of association work, it would be a pity to have the same forming a ring fet over the west and gathering up the degraded people of mankind to lower the price of labor and degrade the workmen of the United States.

The Secretary of the Association of the United States and British Provinces made the report of the Executive Committee. The committee calls the attention of the convention to the fact that too little attention is paid to the duties of the Secretaries and complain that circulars are not answered, and that the reports are not returned, and says that this neglect works an injury to the associations the world over, and that the time has come when the Secretaries should be taught the number grows smaller from year to year. The most strong arguments of the opposition to that our secretaries be remunerated on paper, and that the commissioner give the names of those who neglect to answer circulars, and furnish no facts about them. Our opponents say there are paper societies though we have no paper societies. Our opponents say that a single name which is not believed by them to be a society is counted as a society, and that in some representations. A little effort on the part of leading association men in each State, a small additional service on the part of each corresponding member of the executive committee, more adequate apprehension of the truth that these Associations though many of them are small, are doing a work of "no mean" if by some action on the part of this convention the difficulty here adverted to shall be removed this assertion will not have been in vain. A work commanding for the sacrifice we will be watched by the angels of God. Hon. George A. Hall, of Washington, last there engagements at home to carry out in some sort of are if possible the wishes of the Portland convention. Altogether they visited twenty of the leading places in the Southern States.

Of course their stay in each was brief, averaging two days. Everywhere they were received in the most cordial manner. But few of the associations which existed at the time of the Troy convention are now in present existence. Mr. Hall found efforts in progress at New Orleans for the organization of an association when he reached that city. One has been formed in Mobile, since his visit, from which the most encouraging reports have been received. The approach of warm weather rendered it inexpedient to perfect organizations this season, but such steps were taken in the right direction that there has been a steady growth in the Association in all that go to make up the real power for effective service. Not only has there been an increase in numbers, but the number is inconsiderable. In Memphis, for instance, there has been a great increase in numbers, as in Pennsylvania.

Where one year are twenty-one associations and a nominal existence, sixty-six fully organized reports to Mr. Thomas K. Cree, the correspondent secretary for that branch, and steps are being taken to complete organizations in many other towns and cities. In New Brunswick Mr. Clawson has effected a society against three of last year. Mr. Farquha reports an increase of ten in Nova Scotia.

Rob. The committee submits, for the consideration of the convention, the following as some of the topics which seem to arise from the present condition of the associations, and they require to be treated for them calm, temperate and practical discussion in a form so condensed and yet so full as to suggest the main points. It is hoped the proceedings to present to the association of America a body of suggestions from this convention both timely and profitable.

1. What branch of association works has afforded most encouragement during the past year.

2. The difficulties and hindrances encountered during the past year.

3. How shall we best impress upon our members and upon the community a conviction of the permanency of these societies.

4th. The pledge of each person upon joining an association to abstain from the use of intoxicating drinks as a beverage and from the use of tobacco in any form, to be the plain duty of the associations represented in this convention to make ample provision for the pecuniary assistance of the general work of visitation as soon as the season will permit, and this will be by the employment of secretary and by the generous enthusiasm which marks it, and the larger acquaintance which it has secured between the representatives of the convention and the friends of Christian work among the young men in the States, to consult and to hope that the next general gathering of these associations will witness the meeting of delegates from all parts of the continent, as at the Troy convention in 1866 and may God speed the CAY.

The principal part of the correspondence with associations abroad has been conducted by Jas. Stokes, Jr., of this committee, and has been far more extensive than previous, embracing the principal societies and their leading members in Great Britain and Ireland, France, Holland, Belgium, Switzerland Prussia, and the associations scattered in other parts of Europe. Letters of introduction have been given by the committee to a large number of Association men going abroad during the year, and in no instance where he has done so have results been wanting. The same blessing has not crowned the efforts of Brethren who have gone forth in the christian courtesy and fraternal regard with which all such persons have been received by the brethren in Europe. They desire especially to testify to the fullness and interest of the communications which they have received from those from persons more prominently connected with the association work, and particularly from the Earl of London; Mack, of Liverpool; James, of Dublin; Dobson, of Manchester; Van Cott, of York; Arthur, of Annesgrove; Mitchefield, Brail, of Wemsall, and Cole, of Partie, all bearing witness to the sympathy now existing between the associations on either side of the Atlantic in regard to the mighty work which they have in hand.

It is to be stated that the day of prayer recommended at Portland was as generally observed by the associations as in other years. The circular of the committee was reprinted by the Dublin association, and accompanied by one of their own, which, however, was not used. It has been well represented, and it is hoped that the delegates will make the consideration of their representative on the committee a matter of early consultation, to the end that such nominations may be made by the Nominating Committee as the proper committee to the convention as will be available to all.

Written reports have been received from Clawson, New Brunswick; Farquels, Nova Scotia, Rowland, Province of Quebec; Reid, Hartford, Connecticut; Platt Carlton, New Jersey; Ransom, Iowa; Douglass, Vermont; Thompson, Maryland; Barnard, Kansas; Siegel, Ill.; Bowen, Nebraska. The State Convention is gradually securing the position which its importance deserves as an agency for the extension of associations. The past year seventeen were held in States and Provinces, as follows: Ontario, Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Wisconsin, Michigan, Iowa, being three more strictly local conventions than ever before, and very successful. They were not all largely attended, but every one was perraded by the best spirit and the most earnest prayer. The results of all of the declaration that they can hardly be made too prominent a feature in the aggressive phase of our work. In Ohio, Ontario, Iowa and Indiana, the representatives of the various associations formed a State committee and a formal organization and regularly elected officers. In Ohio the plan has so far developed no objectionable features and is strongly commended by the brethren from that State.

4. The best practice recommended by the convention was more generally observed than heretofore. Still many associations failed to do so. It is a theory how indefinite and deplorable condition, and that she never knew her to have any diamonds, money or other property of any value whatever. After hearing the testimony, Judge Dowling dismissed the complainant and gave the prisoner into the charge of the Commissioners of Charities and Corrections, who will probably place her in an insane asylum.

THE BRAZIL EXPLORING

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LOUISVILLE

FRIDAY MORNING, JUNE 24, 1870.

KENTUCKY NEWS.

Boston butchers are buying lambs in Scott county at $6 50 per head.

The National Theatre Company, of Cincinnati, is playing at Owensboro.

The farmers of Daviess county report the wheat crop fully up to the average yield.

The Kentuckian reports a sale of eighty-five two-year-old mules at $180 50 a head.

Georgetown has just consecrated two new churches—a Presbyterian and an Episcopalian.

Property in Paris purchased a few years ago at $100 per acre, has been sold at thirty of $1,000 per acre.

Gatherers of blue-grass seed make six or eight dollars a day by selling the seed at from sixty to eighty cents per bushel.

The wheat harvest is progressing in the blue-grass region. The hemp crop looks well and fruits of every kind are abundant.

The negroes of Scott county and several white candidates will "scratch" the adoption of the Fifteenth amendment to-morrow.

The saw-mill of Powell & Kearns, near Colemansville, in Harrison county, was destroyed by fire on Tuesday night. Loss $3,000.

The theological debate between Revs. L. B. Wilks, of Danville and J. Ditzler, of Louisville, is drawing large crowds to Cynthiana.

William Shuter, of Georgetown, tired of waiting for death at the age of ninety-five, committed suicide by cutting his throat on Thursday last with a piece of glass.

On Friday last, while a Mr. Franklin was in Pickens's three men went to his house at Morse's station, tied his wife in the cellar, and escaped with a booty of $125 in silver.

Contractors are at work with a large force at each of the two points on Kentucky river selected for new locks and dams. The foundation of lock No. 6 will be laid near Munday's Landing as soon as the stage of the water will permit.

The notorious "Col. Houston King," formerly clerk of the Circuit Court of Elliott county, and discoverer of the great conspiracy of Kentucky Democrats to force the repudiation of the national debt, &c., has returned to that county and offered himself a candidate for re-election.

Major Henry T. Stanton has entered upon the discharge of his duties as Assistant Commissioner of Insurance at Frankfort. John A. Mosser, of Frankfort, has been appointed Chief Clerk to Insurance Bureau, and W. D. Gilmore, of Lexington, succeeds to his clerkship in the Auditor's Office.

The damage caused over the New Orleans delusion which gives McComb & Co. entire control of a line of railroad from New Orleans via Memphis to Paducah, all of which is constructed except the unfinished one hundred miles from Grenada to Memphis. The citizens of Paducah now confidently anticipate the speedy completion of a railroad bridge at that point and a railroad to Vincennes.

SOUTHERN NEWS.

The crops in Texas are generally fine.

Archbishop Odin of New Orleans is dead.

Heavy rains all over Georgia are reported.

A great religious revival is going on in Jefferson, Texas.

Holden's corps d'Afrique is exercising in the North Carolina hen-roosts.

The number of cattle going northward from Texas is enormous and increasing daily.

A stock of cotton covered with boils and blossoms has been exhibited in Montgomery, Alabama.

Martin Donoho, "an old Texan," died suddenly in McLennan county, Texas, last Thursday week.

The Southern Home, published in Charlotte, North Carolina, heads its Washington news "Yankee Congress."

The report of yellow fever in New Orleans is erroneous, and is contradicted by the press and board of health of that city.

A negro woman has been appointed postmistress at Jackson, La. It might have been worse, as a carpetbagger wanted the office.

Col. Geo. W. Brent, Brevet Major-General, A. A. G. has recovered from the injuries received in the late Richmond court house disaster.

J. C. Stanton, Superintendent of the Alabama and Chattanooga railroad, has ordered fifteen hundred Chinese laborers to work on that road.

A branch from a cotton plant containing three forms and two bolls, the latter about one-third grown, has been shown in Baton Rouge, La.

Elizabeth Davis, wife of Henry Davis, of No. 129 Carroll street, West Nashville, Tenn., committed suicide Tuesday night by jumping into a cistern.

Senator Revels is in the bosom of his family at Natchez again. He don't like life in Congress, and the luckless wast him to quit it and preach again.

A very rich gold mine has been discovered on the land of Mr. Harvey, in Appomatox county, Va. Several hundred dollars' worth of gold has been taken out.

The Rev. Mr. Faye, Chaplain of the Texas State Senate, is still charged with having celebrated a marriage between a white man and a mulatto woman in Brazos county.

Hon. T. L. Wigfall, of Texas, has bought No. 6, east of the Seaton lode, in Colorado, and gone to work. He is putting up a residence, and a boarding-house for his workmen.

Wm. Taylor, one of the negroes implicated in the murder of young Wm. Jett, in King George county, Va., on the 26th of March last, was hung at King George C. H. on Friday, in the presence of a large assemblage.

On Wednesday, June 8, at Charleston, West Virginia, a young man named Floyd Sigmon, aged 22 years, committed suicide by shooting himself, and afterwards, (the shot not proving fatal) cutting his throat. The rash act was caused by disappointment in a love affair.

The mother of Tom Bee (colored), of Corpus Christi, Texas, died last week. She was born in Virginia in 1727 and was one hundred and thirty-three years of age at the time of her death. She was a servant of Washington's mother, but never "nursed Georges," and had only lived in Texas fifty years.

A tornado visited Marianna, Florida, last Sunday, and did considerable damage. Fowler, Davis & Co. losing three thousand dollars by the absence to woods. Several residences and a hotel were unroofed, a wide lane was made through a pine forest, and the plantations injured immensely. No lives lost.

The crazy woman who has so long haunted Hollywood cemetery, Richmond, Va., has been taken by the superintendent of the asylum there. The poor creature had dug a hole in the grave of her lover and slept after night under her bed there and resisted with all the strength of madness all attempts to remove her.

R. S. Morse, the proprietor of the City and St. James hotels, in New Orleans, is feeding his guests on the refrigerated beef brought from Texas, much to their satisfaction. He says that it keeps longer and better than beef slaughtered and treated in the ordinary way in New Orleans. As for juiciness and excellence of flavor he says it is superior to New Orleans slaughtered meat, and worth more to the consumer.

The Society of Alumni of the University of Virginia will meet at 9 o'clock a. m. on Wednesday, June 29th; and at 11 o'clock of the same day Hon George H. Pendleton, of Ohio, will address the literary societies. On the following morning (Thursday) Governor John W. Stevenson, of Kentucky, will deliver the address before the Society of Alumni, which will be followed in the afternoon by the

The Bishops of Tennessee, Arkansas, Mississippi and Alabama now use the pastoral staff which has been presented to each. The pastoral staff is borne immediately before a Bishop, by his chaplain, in a procession, and he holds it in his left hand when pronouncing the blessing. An Episcopal ring has been presented to each of the above-named prelates. The black and scarlet hood (D. D.) is worn by the Bishops of Illinois, Tennessee, Arkansas, Florida and Mississippi.

Julius Schultz, a Radical member of the Texas Legislature, has, according to the Harrison Flag, been casing Kit Owsley, of the Houston Union. The Shreveport, South-western says: "The illustrious Kit figured in this place in 1866 as editor of the News. He subsequently established the Courier at Sherman, Texas, which locality he left under a cloud, and was published by the proprietors, as a swindler. We presume he has since been sloshing around Louisiana, for he is not like a stray dog, with the Radical party. Where will he go now that he has been caned out of that party?"

The Lynchburg News states that the jury in the case of James Madison, a soldier of the United States army, charged with the murder of Mr. Wm. P. Bobby, a citizen of Campbell county, Virginia, brought in a verdict on Friday of manslaughter, and fixed the prisoner's punishment at five years in the penitentiary. A motion for a new trial was overruled. One number of the members of the jury have petitioned the Governor to pardon him, on the ground that while forced to conclude that he accused is technically guilty in law, the aggravating circumstances which made him kill Mr. Bobby were such that his act was very natural.

The Indians are harvesting the scalps of the pioneers on the frontier successfully. In San Saba county they are not worse than usual. Only one man killed, two children captured, and about seventy five head of horses driven away during the past "light moon." A fight between white Indians took place in Blanco county recently. Four Indians, including a chief, were killed. None of the whites wounded. E. Foland wounded the chief with his carbine, and, he falling, Mr. F. finished him with his knife. The Indians were well armed. The whites had Spencer carbines, supplied by Gen. Reynolds a month or two back. The other day the Indians made a dash and a stealing foray on a location only two miles from San Antonio, and carried off several mules and shot another with arrows. Over forty head of horses have been taken from Castroville and its environs.

The Knoxville Press and Herald says: "Mr. John Blum, of Nashville, has just received a letter from Eastern Prussia from a committee of seven gentlemen, who represent several thousand of the Mennonites in that portion of Europe, who design immigrating to this country. The committee on behalf of those proposed immigrants will visit Tennessee, and expect to reach Nashville early in September. They will then proceed at once to explore the country and arrange for the permanent settlement of their European friends. The Mennonites are a sect of the early Baptists, who have passed through a variety of fortunes, sufferings and vicissitudes. They date back to the Waldenses, and are scattered throughout Europe in large numbers, especially in Russia, Prussia and Germany, being more thickly settled in Holland than elsewhere."

THE APPELLATE JUDGESHIP.

Judge Williams and Capt. Lindsay Meet at Franklin.

A LIVELY ENCOUNTER.

[From an Occasional Correspondent.]

FRANKLIN, KY., June 20.

This day was court term for Simpson county, and here Hon. William Lindsay, Democratic candidate for Judge of the Appellate Court, met, for the first time in the canvass, Chief Justice R. K. Williams, Independent candidate for the same position.

The campaign was inaugurated by the Chief Justice leading off in a speech of about three hours' duration, in which he presented and indicated the line which himself and competitor consented to run—politics in its nature; but a fair one, and conceded that the public life and records of aspirants for office were legitimate subjects of discussion, he deemed that it would not be entertaining beyond the veritable field of controversy to go into the matter after his able and exhaustive speech in this county will not be issue with Democrats. Captain Lindsay was born in Rockbridge county, Va., and emigrated to this State in 1856. He will be 40 years old next March. Is about five feet eight high, weighs 180 pounds, is finely proportioned, has a florid complexion, dark hair and eyes, with superior fleshless shaded with long curved beard, robust constitution, and one of the brightest minds of his generation. BETA.

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LEXINGTON, VIRGINIA.

Commencement Week at Washington College—Sketch of the College—Gen. Lee as a College President—General Good Order Among the Students—Baccalaureate Sermon by Rev. Dr. Brantly—Saturday Exercises Bearing off the Honors.

[Correspondence of the Courier-Journal.]

LEXINGTON, VA., June 20.

A stranger dropping in upon our mountain town at this time would be at once impressed that something more than ordinary was going on. Crowds about the principal hotels, the throngs of gaily dressed ladies on the streets, and the carriages and horsemen that are to be seen on every side, tell plainly that something special is about to take place. He would not simply learn in the gay throng before learning that "commencement week" at Washington College is just beginning.

SKETCH OF THE COLLEGE.

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Subscription Stone

In Bowie's subscription at station to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. Morris, Southwick & Co.

☞ Go to Morris, Southwick & Co.'s sale of Fowee Valley property this (Friday) afternoon. Take the 2:30 train, Louisville and Frankfort railroad. Free ride there and back. Morris, Southwick & Co., Auctioneers.

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[Letter from Col. W. K. Higgins, of the Bluegrass Region.]

LEXINGTON, KY., May 30, 1870.

W. H. Walker, Esq.:

DEAR SIR: Some two years since my health was feeble, and my weight reduced to one hundred and twenty-five pounds. At the suggestion of a friend I commenced using your Tonic Bitters. After taking a few bottles my health was entirely restored, and my weight increased to one hundred and fifty pounds; and I firmly believe that, under Providence, I am indebted to your Tonic Bitters for my present health. You have my permission to use this letter for publication, as I am well known in this part of Kentucky, and desire to add my humble testimony to the efficacy of your truly valuable medicine.

Very truly yours,
W. K. HIGGINS.

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How to Look Young—Sixteen.

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Quest's.

G. W. Quest, late of Louisville, will be pleased to see his friends when they visit New Albany. There will find him at Quest's corner of State and Market streets, one and a half squares north of Louisville and New Albany depot, where he keeps the best Cincinnati lager, an assortment of very fine liquors and the choicest cigars in the market; also the finest billiard rooms in the city. Inquire for [my18 codlm] G. W. QUEST.

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I beg leave to inform my friends and the public in general that I have removed my office from 70 West Market to No. 87 north side of Jefferson street, between Fourth and Fourth streets, three doors from Third, where I will continue to make liberal advances on watches, diamonds, jewelry, silverware, pistols and other valuables. Business honorable and strictly confidential.

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MARRIED.

LYNE—HOLLOWAY—In Lexington, Ky., on 23d inst., by Rev. Dr. Lyne, Mr. Wm. Lyne, of Richmond, Va., to Miss Anna C. Holloway, Col. L. H. Lyne, of Henderson, to Miss Anna C. Holloway.

DIED.

TOOMEY—In this city, on Thursday, June 23, 1870, at 10½ o'clock a. m., Mrs. Nettie A., wife of Michael Toomey, aged 24 years and 5 months.

Funeral will take place from the Hancock-street Church, on Saturday, June 25, at 4 o'clock p. m. The friends of the family are invited to attend.

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The Living Machine.

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LEXINGTON, VIRGINIA.

Commencement Week at Washington College—Sketch of the College—Gen. Lee as a College President—General Good Order Among the Students—Baccalaureate Sermon by Rev. Dr. Brantly—Saturday Exercises Bearing off the Honors.

[Correspondence of the Courier-Journal.]

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ROUND-ABOUT.

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The Mabille.

There is a large number of Americans constantly arriving in Paris who are bent upon doing everything that is to be seen. It is strange but true that they are no sooner there than they feel that they can do just as they please. Hence we hear of respectable ladies going to see all of the horrible indecencies of the can-can as it is danced by hired creatures with all of the lasciviousness of Paris concentrated. These "ladies" go "just once" to see what the Mabille is, and then act as clotheses afterward to their friends arriving from time to time. The Mabille is not a proper place for a decent woman to go, and no more flimsy excuse that a woman only wants to see what the place is like will save her from the taint of having witnessed an improper exhibition.

II.

The Working Girls.

The sorrows of shop girls are just now being copiously wept over in New York. Charges have been made against some of the large dry-goods men, who employ several hundred girls each, of overworking and underpaying them. An examination of one of the establishments by a lynx-eyed reporter produced a "showing" on the part of the proprietor, which makes him out a dry-goods saint, and the girls tolerably honest, with here and there a thief. One dry-goods magnate stated that A. T. Stewart searched the pockets of his clerks every day, and that there was so much stealing constantly going on in his (the magnate's) shop that he was compelled to search the girls' satchels every evening before they left; all of which reveals a pretty state of dry goods morals.

III.

Noble Examples.

When the poor Marquis of Hastings "went to the bad" there was a secret of virtuous indignation all over the republican simplicity of the American countenance. When the Duke of Newcastle got "awfully cut up" by dabbling in horse flesh, giving suppers to ballet dancers, and getting "into the hands of the Jews," there was a good deal of ball writing done, to show what "a blood lot of awful tornals" there were in England. When the Mordaunt divorce case came up and the Prince of Wales was said to be mixed up in the matter otherwise than in a measles pony-phaeton way, there was more horror in Brother Jonathan's face. Now that the lark of a number of young bucks in women's clothes has terminated in the death of one of them, Lord Arthur Clinton, the American public is called upon by the Pookanids and Ripsh Pygmus of the press, to be overwhelmed with astonishment and moral wrath, but the public thinks these aristocratic blades no more represented the majority of the English nobility than Jimfish does the better class of American gentlemen.

IV.

The Southern Side of "Lothair."

Those who have not read Mr. Disraeli's famous novel may perhaps be surprised to hear his opinion of Southerners, and that he has put some strong allusions to them, or rather to the American character in Lothair (Colonel Campian), who is a Southern man in the mouth of "the Duke." The latter says of Colonel Campian: "Well, he has the consolation of having suffered in a good cause. I shall be happy to make his acquaintance. I look upon an American gentleman, with a large estate in the South, as a real aristocrat, and whether he gets his rents, or whatever his returns may be, or may not, I should always treat him with respect." In another place, he says of Colonel Campian: "You know he is a gentleman; he is not a Yankee. People make the greatest mistakes about these things. He is a gentleman of the South. They have no property left but land, and I am told his territory was immense. * * * It is not unlikely he may have lost his estates now, but that makes no difference to me. I shall treat him and all Southern gentlemen as our fathers treated the emigrant nobility of France." Now all this will be received by the literary coterie of Boston remains to be seen. The shoddys will doubtless arise as one man and forbid the wicked book from being read in their family circles. If it were only one of the unrepentant rebels who had dared to write thus, "Lothair" might be thrown aside with a sneer, but when the ex-Prime Minister of England thus expresses himself, it makes New England flesh creep. Who can tell what might not have happened if Bismarck and his party had been in power when the question of the recognition of the South was being discussed in England?

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

BISMARCK is tall, awkward, elderly, and old fogyish.

GEN. THOMAS' life insurance, $15,000, is about to be paid.

How much did Akerman give? is now the popular conundrum.

MANY of the Northern papers are extolling Gov. Stevenson for declining to fight.

THE Schleswig-Holstein-Surbridge imbroglio is what they call it in Cuba.

A RECENT philosopher thinks the lions, when they didn't eat Daniel, practiced a good deal of self-Daniel.

THE Nevada people read Patent Office reports and think the Congressional Globe "the most interestingest paper they get."

ACCORDING to a New York paper, "our genial friend Van Buren" is editor of the New York Ledger. That Bonnie don't do it all, eh?

WHEN the census taker asked an Iowa woman the age of her oldest child she informed him that he "had come around about a month too soon."

A YOUNG maidito girl of great beauty is now being trained for the American stage by a retired actor, once a great celebrity. She will soon be her debut at Chicago.

THE Denton School Board remains in session all night and to avoid domestic disturbance the Freedom Journalists each member a certificate showing where he has been.

A BENUMBED Jersey editor relieves himself by singing: "It is a sin to steal a pin—A crime to cut a throat—But a darned sight bigger to stop a nigger from putting in his vote."

THE congregation and the census were increased simultaneously in a Wisconsin church during service last Sunday. Nobody but the young woman knew anything about it until "meeting was out."

HOAR is a prominent candidate for the United States Senate, to succeed Wilson, who has been there fifteen years. Wilson wants to go again, too, and Boutwell, Banks, Dawes and Clifford are "prominently mentioned."

NOBODY here is green enough to believe that when the Prince Imperial was asked why people always said "Brave as a sword," but never "Brave as a cannon," he replied, "Because a cannon always recoils when it is fired."

IF Mr. Toombs never got the chance to call the roll of his slaves on Bunker Hill, he is partially recompensed by being able to detail a member of his staff as the chief law officer to the administration of Grant.—[Ohio Statesman.

JEFFERSON DAVIS will not deliver an address before the Mississippi agricultural societies, nor is he engaged in writing a novel or preparing memoirs of his political career. He will not for the present mingle in public affairs in any way.

THE "local" of the Cincinnati Commercial delights in scenes of blood. Hear him: "We had the pleasure of witnessing a rat-killing by a black and tan female pup this morning, about 1 o'clock. Twenty-six rats in ten minutes was the result."

THE Sun is told that Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe has nearly ready for the press a volume giving the "true story" of Charles Dickens' matrimonial infelicities. The world will be shocked to learn that Mrs. Stowe will probably attempt to demonstrate that they had their origin in a strange infatuation on the part of Mr. Dickens for his great grandmother.—[N. Y. Commercial Advertiser.

AFTER calling them Gladhands and Stiggloses, the New Orleans Times says of some of Dickens' late critics: "Not one of the pretentious clerical critics, whose little brain and heart are pent up within the narrow bounds of sectarianism, is worthy to touch the hitchets of Charles Dickens' shoes. His faith, like his genius, was too boundless to be either wrecked or measured by the pigmy book-makers of the period."

CINCINNATI is acting the "dern fool" about that bass ball craze. Here is the Gazette on the announcement of the defeat of the Athletics: "Their such a shout went up as made the welkin ring again. Strangers clasped hands with a terror as of long acquaintance. Small boys executed extraordinary shoe fixes on the pavement, and old men looked as if they would join in the dance if their old joints were not so stiff."

SPEAKING of Col. Baxter Smith, who is now a candidate for Congress in the Nashville District, the Knoxville Herald says: "Col. Smith is a lawyer by profession, and stands in the front rank of the Knoxville Bar. In the prime of life, vigorous of intellect and stainless of character, he is the kind of man which Tennessee needs in Congress, and whatever may be said of other aspirants the people of the district will look in vain for a fitter man for the position than Baxter Smith."—Col. Smith was born and brought up in Garrard county, Ky. During the war he commanded the Fourth Tennessee cavalry, and was one of the most popular officers in the Confederate service.

INSURANCE COMPANIES.

The Whole Amount of Money Received as Premiums to be Taxed.

Opinion of Attorney General Bodeen.

The following is the opinion of John Rodman, Esq., Attorney General of the State, in regard to the meaning and intent of the 41st section of the act of the General Assembly for the incorporation and regulation of life insurance companies, approved March 13, 1870, provides that:

"It shall be the duty of every life insurance company, not organized under authority of the laws of this State, but doing business therein, on or before the first Mondays in June and December of each year, to pay into the treasury two dollars and fifty cents on every one hundred dollars of net premiums received in cash during the six months last preceding, ending on the last days of April and October respectively," &c., &c.

My construction of this section is, that whatever money is received by the company through its agent in this State for premiums on insurance, it must be held to be "net premiums," and that no deduction for commissions to the agent, nor expenses incurred in keeping up the agency, can be deducted from the amount of cash received.

If these commissions to the agent, and the ordinary expenses of the agency, such as office rent, coal, and, indeed, all the necessary expenditures incident to an insurance agency, are to be deducted from the amount of cash received, it would often result that the State is deprived of any revenue whatever, because of excessive commissions or want of economy in the management of the agency.

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I can easily conceive of a case, upon any other construction of the act, in which the company or the agent would be swindled up by reckless expenditures in connection with the business of the company. How far can you go in allowing deductions from the amount of money received, and where are you to stop?

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to you as soon as practicable. A statement in detail of the business for this year will be expected from each company early in January next. In the meantime prompt and full answers to the above preliminary interrogatories are necessary, in order to enable the undersigned to prepare the blanks for reporting the receipts and disbursements contemplated by the act above referred to.

The law is mandatory, and the Commissioner confidently relies upon the co-operation of the officers of all who are conducted companies in having the requirements of the act complied with. This will add greatly to the satisfaction of all parties, will be to the credit and advantage of the companies, and when the provisions of the act have been fully complied with, the reputation of the State will be, in reference to the great business of insurance, as high as it is now in the general financial credit.

GUSTAVUS W. SMITH,
Insurance Commissioner.

THE ALUMNI BANQUET.

Speeches of Messrs. Kinney, Sachs, Thompson, Pollard and Bodley.

The following speeches delivered at the Alumni banquet Wednesday night, were unavoidably crowded out of yesterday's issue:

SPEECH OF MR. KINNEY.

The School Board being toasted, W. R. Kinney was called upon and said:

I know no reason why I should be called upon to respond to this sentiment. There are here gentlemen more than myself, who have been longer identified with our free school system and who are better prepared to touch upon them. And there is another reason why I am not a proper person to respond to this sentiment: I never saw the inside of a college but once in my life. That was when my friend from "Home Castle" (Mr. Duval) invited me on the platform at your Commencement exercises. And a fish out of water, and I never have been back since. My young friend who has preceded me (Mr. Pollard) made a pretty speech, and it is nearly all true so far as I understand it. But his speech reminded me of a scene that occurred in the State's office at Harbford, when under Uncle Charley Henderson (God bless him!) I was a deputy clerk. There was a young fellow in Ohio county, named Oliver C. Porter, who was exceedingly fond of litigation. Among his many acts, he had instituted one against one of our "Aboriginees" named Charley Eagle. Uncle Charley Eagle employed Judge Rodman to defend him, and the case was called. Mr. Moseley came to the clerk's office for the original bill in chancery to Mr. Fogle, and, when you see it, would say "and so forth," he would say "et cetera," and go through. So he asked Uncle Charley what he meant by "et cetera?" The reply was: "Every word in it is to accept the et cetera, and if I know what that meant I would swear it was a lie too," now, every time my young friend says that I do except

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FRIDAY MORNING, JUNE 24, 1870.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

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JUDGE W. B. HOKE.

For Clerk of the County Court,
CHARLES M. THRUSTON.

For County Attorney,
ALBERT S. WILLIS.

For Sheriff of Jefferson County,
CAPT. JOHN M. MARTIN.

For County Assessor,
JOHN HARRISON.

For Coroner of Jefferson County,
CONRAD J. WEBER.

For County Surveyor,
JOHN ROBB.

For Jailer of Jefferson County,
AMBROSE E. CAMP.

For Judge of the City Court,
J. HOP. PRICE.

For Clerk of the City Court,
JOHN C. LORAN.

For Marshal of the City Court,
PAT. DILLON.

For Prosecuting Attorney of the City Court,
FRANK HAGAN.

☞ Persons leaving the city during the summer can have the Daily COURIER-JOURNAL mailed to their address for any length of time desired, at the rate of $1 per month by leaving their orders at our counting-room.

TELEGRAMS.

Reports from San Rete county, Utah, say the crops in that county are nearly destroyed by grasshoppers.

A woolen factory at Greenfield, Ind., was destroyed by fire yesterday afternoon. Loss $10,000. No insurance.

The furniture store of Bremer Bros., in Lowell, Mass., was burned Wednesday night. Loss $15,000; insurance $5,000.

Koopmanschap has contracted to furnish 1,500 Chinese to Alabama and Tennessee in three equal shipments. The first leaves San Francisco to-day.

Whitelaw Reid, a well-known journalist and author, was married Wednesday evening to Miss Lillian Gilbert, sister of Mrs. Lucia Calhoun, at New York.

The Republican Congressional Convention of the Fifth Indiana District met in Indianapolis yesterday and renominated Hon. John Coburn for re-election by acclamation.

Negotiations between the British Columbia delegates and the committee of the Privy Council will be concluded to-day. It is understood that a satisfactory result has been obtained.

Some of the merchants who went to New York, anticipating a heavy decline in freights to the West, have returned home, and others are waiting for a further decline before making purchases.

The Vermont Republican State Convention on Wednesday nominated John W. Stewart, of Middlebury, for Governor; Geo. N. Dale, of Island Pond, for Lieut. Governor, and Wm. John A. Page, of Montpelier, for Treasurer.

The steamer Columbian, en route to Omaha from St. Louis, struck a rock in the Missouri river, near Brunswick, and sunk. She is reported badly broken, and a total loss. She is owned by N. Springer and Capt. Wm. Barnes, her commander, and valued at $35,000.

The Democratic nominating convention for the Fourth Ohio district was held at Greenville yesterday. Hon. J. F. McKinney, of Piqua, was the nominee. On his arrival yesterday afternoon he was met at the depot by a large concourse of his friends of both political parties, headed by a band of music, where he received a hearty greeting.

Efforts are being made in New York to secure the release of the Prussian General O'Neil, who is still in jail at Burlington, Vt. The Fenians at Burlington refuse to guarantee $15,000 for him, as they fear he would run away. His friends are endeavoring to raise that amount, and thus far have secured $2,000. O'Neil is not warmly loved by Fenians in New York.

On the arrival of the steamer Port au Prince from New York at Port au Prince, Hayti, two passengers, named Grant and Armond, were arrested on a charge of taking counterfeit money into the country. Several millions of dollars of the money were discovered in their stateroom. They were thrown into prison, and will shortly be put to death. The circumstances were evidently engraved in this country.

Congressional.

In the Senate was reported a substitute for the House resolutions in relation to the war in Cuba. The Georgia bill and the tax bill was resumed and the abolition of the income tax was discussed at some length, but no definite action was reached. The Texas Pacific railroad bill was discussed, and an amendment providing for a new set of directors, with General Fremont at their head, was adopted.

In the House a bill to pay those whose pensions were withheld between March, 1865, and June 6, 1866, was reported. The new apportionment bill was referred to the Judiciary Committee, which virtually kills it, as that committee is so far down in the list that it cannot possibly report before last days of adjournment of Congress. The Senate amendment to the Georgia bill was reported with a substitute, which was nearly the same as the bill admitting Virginia, Mississippi and Texas. Several other amendments were offered, which, with the substitute, were ordered to be printed, and the House adjourned.

THE FEMALE HIGH SCHOOL.

Commencement Exercises Last Night —The List of Graduates;

A BRILLIANT AFFAIR.

The manner in which the public schools of Louisville are conducted and managed is a matter of pride, and justly so to every citizen, and the annual commencement of the High School, the crowning glory of the Public School system, is the great event upon which the interest of the entire community is in a greater or lesser degree centered. Upon these occasions the result of years of careful training are made manifest, and the excellence of the system and the wisdom of its management fully demonstrated. Especially are our people interested in the commencements of the Female High School, where the fair ones of our sweetheart, wife and mother is awarded the honors due the labor and toil necessary to reach the summit of the rough, steep hill of knowledge.

Upon no previous occasion has this event excited a deeper interest, as early as 7 o'clock last evening people began to flock to Metzger Hall, and at the hour of the opening of the exercises the spacious Hall was crowded to its utmost extent with eager spectators.

The young ladies, radiant in the modest beauty of budding womanhood, and attired in dresses of pure white, presented a scene of rare loveliness.

The Junior class occupied elevated seats in the rear, while the Senior class were ranged in front. On the left were the members of the General Council and the Mayor, and on the right were the members of the School Board.

The programme of exercises was admirably arranged, and the young ladies went through their parts with a calm self-possession which could only come from a long and careful training. Where all acquitted themselves so creditably to themselves and to their teachers, distinctions would be invidious.

The following are the names of the twenty young ladies who graduated in the class of 1870: Louisa Allan, Lizzie Allan, Lelia Barrow, Julia McDonald, Annie Ullman, Bettie Field, Sue Williams, Hattie Lieber, Anna Bell McClarun, Eva H. Clarke, Emma D. Owen, Edith Avis, Amanda Orr, Francis I. Louis, Mary Davis, Mary Bonsfield, Olivia Bryant, Ella A. Elwell, Addie R. Bell, Ella Slaughter.

Mr. W. Morris, President of the School Board, presented the young ladies with their diplomas, and, after a short address, handed each her respective parchment. After the presentation of diplomas, the names of five young ladies selected for their merits to receive gold medals of honor were called, as follows: Louisa Allan, Ella A. Elwell, Bettie Field, Katie Kyle, and Ella Slaughter, and, in another short address, President Morris stepped forward to award these high honors. After which Miss Ella Slaughter returned the thanks of the class. Professor Chase then advanced and named Miss Louisa Allan as the possessor of the first highest honors of the school; Miss Ella Slaughter, second, and Miss Ella A. Elwell, third; and then proceeded to call the average grade of the whole school. The gold medals awarded the young ladies bore the following inscription on one side:

Louisville Female High School,
"Esse Quam Videri,"

and upon the other "Awarded to (name), graduate of 1870, for perfect punctuality in attendance during the entire course of four years. By order of the Board of Trustees. Wm. W. Morris, Pres't."

Prof. Chase announced the fact that Miss Ella Slaughter had attended school for seven years, losing only two recitations, and was never late.

The valedictory address was then delivered by Miss Ella Slaughter in a graceful and pleasant manner. The pathetic allusions to the separation of the school mates had a marked effect on the whole audience as well as the school. After the valedictory, a beautiful chorus, entitled "Farewell," was sung by the class, and the exercises closed.

The following was the programme:

Music—Chorus—"Twilight"..... Mercadante.

Prayer.

Music—Chorus—"Sweet Evening Bells."

"Our Public Schools"..... Julia McDonald.
"Beautiful Girls"..... Bettie Field.
"Home"..... Hattie Lieber.
"The Bright Side"..... Addie Bell McClarun.
Music—Duet—"Over the Hill"..... Glover.
"Our Pioneer Mothers"..... Emma E. Owen.
"The Habit of Attention"..... Amanda Orr.
"There is Good in the World"..... Mary Davis.
"The Girl of the Period"..... Mary Brownfield.
Music—Chorus—"Hope and Light," Berle.
"Saturday Night,"..... Addie R. Bell.
"Earnestness"..... Lizzie Allan.
"What Girls might Do"..... Lelia Barrow.
Music—Chorus—"Bells by Night."
"The Wonderful Mind"..... Annie Ullman.
"Novel Reading"..... Ida Williams.
Music—Song—"Young Recruit"..... Kucken.
Chorus—"Lullaby"..... Eichberg.
"God's Providence"..... Eva H. Clarke.
"The Passion for Dress"..... Katie Kyle.
"The Primary Teacher"..... Frances T. Long.
Music—Trio—"Birds Awaking,"..... Rossini.
"Reading,"..... Olivia Bryant.
"Woman's Sphere," (third honor)..... Ella A. Elwell.
Music—Chorus—last immental Duet—"Overture to Semiramide"..... Rossini.
Presentation of Diplomas.
Music—"Wood Thrush"..... Hatton.
Valedictory..... Ella Slaughter.
Music—Chorus—"Farewell"..... Rossini.
Benediction.

THE PERILS OF BANKING.

A Raid by Check Raisers—Two Banks Victimized by Swindlers.

Quite a flutter was created in financial circles yesterday by the announcement that two well-known banks had been swindled by means of raised checks.

About two weeks ago two young men came to this city, opened a store on Second street, between Main and Washington, and engaged in business as wholesale liquor dealers and retailers under the name and style of Bradshaw & Co. They had only a small stock, but one of the firm represented himself to be the son of a large distiller of Dayton, Ohio, and proposed to sell liquor at better rates than the Kentucky distillers. They had the building renovated and had a large amount of elaborate painting and lettering illustrative of their business spread over it. They claimed to have considerable wealth, and one of the firm negotiated through Mr. H. B. Wilson, a real estate agent, the purchase of a handsome residence for $12,000. He was very anxious to have the deeds made out, so he could pay for the property and take possession. Yesterday morning, a few minutes after 9 o'clock, the man who gave his name as Athausen went to the German Insurance Company's Bank on Market, above Third, and presented a check drawn by Asa Horsman in favor of E. Athausen & Co. or bearer for $1,382 45. The teller looked at the account of Mr. Horsman and found that he had not that amount to his credit, and informed the cashier of the fact. The cashier, however, directed him to pay the check, which he did, and the man departed. Mr. Horsman happened in the bank a few minutes afterward and the check was handed to him, when it was discovered that the check had been adroitly raised.

Mr. Bradshaw, a member of the wholesale liquor dealers a small amount of liquor, for which he gave a check for $282 45. There was quite a space between the words "ten" and "hundred," and the scamps had altered the "o" to an "e," making the figures 282 45, making the deception complete.

From the German Bank the sharper went to the Second National Bank, corner of Elvhth and Main, on his way to which he called upon Mr. Wilson, the real estate agent, and requested him to go to the bank and identify him. Mr. Wilson, deceived by the air of business and wealth, consented, and identified him at the bank. Upon presenting the check Athausen presented a check drawn by W. L. Weller & Son, for $282 60, drawn payable to the firm of Athausen & Co. The teller was not present, and Mr. J. S. Allison, the cashier to whom the check was presented, not knowing Wilson, declined to pay the check. Just then a person whom Mr. Allison knew stepped in and called Wilson by name. This satisfied Mr. Allison as to the identity of Wilson, and no further security required. Wilson to indorse the check, which he did and the money was paid. Mr. Wilson, after leaving the bank, found that all was not right, went to Mr. Weller's and learned that the check had been given for $282 60, and had been raised in a manner similar to the other check to $2,060.

By this time the German Insurance Company had notified all the police and many were close upon the scamps. Both of the men were traced to the mail-boat, when all trace of them were lost.

The check was obtained from Weller & Son in the same manner as the one from Horsman. On inquiry, it was found that Athausen & Co. had said that he had five barrels of spirits which he wished to come out, and offered it low. Mr. Weller, Wolcombe & Co. sent a wagon and made his appearance at Weller's, and offered to sell some high-wines. Mr. Weller declined to purchase without seeing a sample. In a short time the man returned with a quart of high-wines, which it was afterward found had been obtained from Messrs. Schickedanz & Sewell, evidently for the purpose of making a sale to Mr. Weller and obtaining another check.

After the discovery of the frauds, the detectives went to the store, and found only the negro porter and several hands at work. There were fifteen barrels of something, apparently whisky, in the store, but they were not examined, and are supposed to contain water.

The porter says that early in the morning one of the firm said that he was going to attend the funeral of Mr. Airey, and further said that he was going to Jeffersonville to inspect the cooperage of a lot of barrels which he feared was in bad order.

Of course these statements were but a part of the deep-laid scheme to defraud their unsuspecting victims. Their game was discovered much earlier than they anticipated, and the officers were very confident that they will be brought to justice.

EDUCATIONAL.

The Exercises at the Seventh-Ward School Yesterday.

The closing exercises of the German department of the Seventh-ward school under direction of Prof. Joseph Cohen took place at the school building, corner of Fifth, last Monday and Saturday afternoon. There was a large number of spectators present, including the parents and friends of the pupils.

There were about a hundred beautiful children who took part in the exercises, some of whom were of English and some of German parentage. The exercises were first conducted in German and then translated into English. At the close Prof. Cohen made a few remarks, remarking that the pupils very highly, and then called upon Rev. Dr. Kleeberg, who was present.

Dr. Kleeberg said that many of the children had acquired tle rudimentes creditably, and that he, therefore, as a representative of the School Board, would to show them by responding in English that Germans are not inse xuliun to become acquainted with the language of the country. Americans are to master the German language. He remarked further that he rejoiced the more in the fact that the spirit of America, who are far from all fanaticism of language, whom he looked upon like the genius of empire, and yet would mean in her petty jealousy. For Russia does not only oppress the Polish language in Poland, but even in the German Baltic provinces in Russia, once settled by Germans, and who have there their native tongue are subjected to annoyances and troubles on account of using their vernacular. What a difference, said the speaker, between Russia in this country! Here the authorities—the school boards—encourage the study of this refined language. This should be the object of a giant who does not fear any danger, whereas Russia acts dwarfishly in fearing to have its people learn good science by leaving her industry to operate the language they desire to speak, and encouraging, instead of the liberal spirit of free America, the Germans love the English language, and try to learn and master it as quickly as possible.

The exercises were in every way entertaining and interesting, and displayed a degree of discipline and careful study on the part of the pupils that is highly creditable. The German department of this school is one of the best and most promising in the whole public schools, and its success is mainly due to the efforts of Prof. Cohen and the earnest co-operation of the Board of Trustees.

Saint Xavier's Institute.

The annual commencement exercises of this well-known institution took place last night. There were premiums and rewards of merit awarded every scholar, thus planting in the memory of the pupils an incident that never can be forgotten. Saint Xavier's Institute is one of the leading Catholic schools for boys in the city, and in conducting by the Reverend Brothers, with the especial approbation of the Right Rev. Bishop of Louisville. All the lads who took parts in the exercises distinguished themselves creditably, but among the large number mentioned in the programme, Edward Coggeshall danced fore-most and Charles Rogers, Patrick Carroll, James McGorley, John McGorley, Chas. Delvecchio, A. Ort, and James Black are the most conspicuous. These especially did well and they received the highest honors. The Hall was arranged in beautiful style for the accommodation of visitors, and the exercises were arranged in a manner similar to those worn were strictly of the Roman style. A fine orchestra furnished music for the occasion. The following was the programme:

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Good-night—Chorus.
Distribution of premiums.
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The Male High School.

The annual commencement exercises of the Male High School take place at Masonic Hall this evening, beginning at 8 o'clock. Nine young men will graduate. The City Council and the Board of Trustees will be assigned positions on the platform. The exercises, consisting of orations, music, etc., will be as follows:

The alumni are requested to call at the ticket office, Weitziger Hall, between the hours of 1 and 6 p. m. and receive badges, that they may be recognized by the usher. They will also occupy seats on the platform.

AMUSEMENTS.

Masonic Temple.

The Alhambra Star Company still continue to afford a good evening's entertainment, what with their thrilling trapeze and acrobatic acts, the singing, dancing, farce, pathetic drama and the extravaganza. To-night there will be a new, and a very attractive bill in which the combined talent of the company will appear in some special features.

Kentucky School for the Blind.

Our readers in New Albany should not forget the interesting and beautiful entertainment to be given by this school in the Opera House in that city, this afternoon and evening. The school will make a trip after the close of the exhibition for the accommodation of all who may wish to return to Louisville to-night.

"Nashville and Her Trade."

Nashville is out in a book. Mr. Chas. E. Robert, of that city, has just published one of 400 pages, which the business advantages and prospects of that city are set forth in glowing colors, along with an elaborate showing of her present trade and manufactures. The book is very valuable and highly interesting, and the earnest co-operation of the Board of Trustees.

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INDIANA POLITICS.

The Democratic Congressional and Judicial Convention at New Albany Yesterday.

KERR RENOMINATED.

The Democrats of the Second Congressional District of Indiana assembled in the Opera House a New Albany yesterday to nominate a candidate for Congress and several of the judicial offices.

The convention was called to order by General John C. Breckinridge, Chairman of the Congressional Democratic Central Committee.

The following counties answered presents: Clark, Crawford, Dubois, Floyd, Harrison, Jackson, Martin, Orange, Scott, and Washington.

TEMPORARY ORGANIZATION.

Senator Sherrod, of Orange—Mr. Chairman, for the sake of harmony in our action I move that Hon. David Hufnetter be chosen temporary chairman of the convention.

Hon. John S. Davis, of Floyd—Mr. Chairman, for the same reason I move to amend and say that Hon. Gen. Breckinridge be chosen temporary chairman.

A. J. Howard, of Clark—I demand the call of counties on that question.

Jason Brown, of Jackson—I move to appoint a committee of one from each county on temporary organization.

A. J. Howard, of Clark—I rise to a point of order. Hereby make the motion after the list of counties has been ordered.

The Chairman—I decide in favor of the point of order raised.

Brown—You don't mean to say I can't offer an amendment before the call of counties has commenced?

The Chairman—So decide it. You can appeal from my decision.

Brown—It is not of sufficient importance. The Secretary proceeded with the call.

CLARK COUNTY DISAGREES.

A. J. Howard cast the vote of Clark for Huffstetler.

Dr. Honneous—We won't sustain that. We don't propose that the vote of Clark shall be cast by one man.

It was suggested that Clark county retire and settle her difficulty. The suggestion was adopted. During the retirement the convention was very spirited. There seemed to be too many strong-minded men in the delegation. It was utterly impossible to report the proceedings of the Clark delegation, but finally, by dividing, they decided in favor of Huffstetler, which was greeted with applause, and the delegation returned to their seats in the convention in good humor.

The secretary then announced 310 votes for Huffstetler and 56 for Dobbins.

On motion of Mr. Ferguson, Col. W. W. Tuley, of Floyd, was elected temporary Secretary unanimously.

REMARKS OF MR. HUFFSTETTER.

Gentlemen of the Convention—I am proud to meet you on this occasion. I trust we have here the best of feelings. No doubt we all have our preference; but as Democrats, when we make our nominations, I hope there will be no preference except for the candidates that are only contend for that which I feel is right, and no misfortune, no sorrow or any personal disappointment in regard to my political friends, can control my action. Therefore, I say, while I have been even proper to render a decision in favor of my honorable competitor to-day, I shall not undertake to say whether it was fairly or unfairly expressed, for the voice of the Democratic party expressed in the majority of the matters of this kind are concerned, is law to me. Professing myself a Democrat, I feel bound to enter into any political speech. I do not think the occasion is proper for speech-making of that kind. We have the business here to-day to transact, and in view of the fact that you have been several hours here at this task, I cannot ask you to be further detained, as there is a great deal of political work for us yet to do. And if you will accept my hearty co-operation in the future as I have extended them in the past, all you have to do is to notify me; within and I will be at your head. I will assure you it will make any difference to me that I have been defeated. I am a Democrat, and will abide Democratic principles now about one-half a life time, and I hope I will live another half of a life time but I am sure of one thing, that I will be a laborer in the restoration of sound principle, even though it may never result in anything to me personally. What we have done in the past has been solely with a view to the defense of the great interest of the entire country, and I shall continue in that line of policy, regardless of what men may say or think about me. I feel that my heart is full and I would not inflict you with a speech, and will say nothing to the people. But I will bring my remarks to a close, for I do not think it proper to detain you any longer.

Mr. Huffstetter's remarks elicited applause, and the gloom that had lowered in the morning had now entirely disappeared.

BALLOTING.

After Mr. Wolf had finished Dr. Wm. Sherrod, of Orange, and Hon. Jason Brown, of Jackson, declined to be candidates.

Mr. Stackhouse, after a short fire of wit, moved that the Hon. George A. Bicknell be the unanimous choice of the convention for Judge.

JUDGE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT.

This was adopted by acclamation.

CIRCUIT COURT PROSECUTOR.

Thomas B. Buckirk, B. H. Farrel, Robert J. Breckinridge, and Frank Ferguson were nominated on for Prosecutor of the Circuit Court.

The first ballot resulted—Buckirk 78, Burrell 47, Farrel 46, Ferguson 178. Mr. Shaw was declared the nominee.

COMMON PLEAS PROSECUTOR.

John McCarty, of Harrison; Wm. C. Price, of Scott, and Sam. W. Fisher, of Floyd, were placed in nomination for Common Pleas Prosecutor. On the third ballot McCarty received a majority and was declared the nominee.

CRIMINAL PROSECUTOR.

On motion of Henry S. Barnaby, James K. Marsh, of Floyd, was declared the nominee for Criminal Prosecutor by acclamation.

ANOTHER LITTLE BREEZE FROM CLARK.

The next nomination was for Judge of the Criminal Court. L. Dunham, of Floyd, and S. S. Johnson, of Clark, were placed in nomination.

Judge Matthews arose and said "Clark votes 63 for Dunham."

A. J. Howard objected.

Judge Howard wanted the vote cast as a unit for Dunham.

The delegation divided on the question, and the majority were in favor of voting as a unit.

The vote was again cast for Dunham as a unit, when Jack Howard arose and said: "I protest, and said 282, he would not bind himself to abide by the decision.

Jonas Howard said: "Let him enter his protest."

Huffendaffer then proposed that Utica, Washington and Jeffersonville townships cast their vote by districts.

This was agreed to and Clark cast 40 votes for Johnson and 23 for Dunham. Floyd county cast 56 votes for Dunham. Floyd county cast 56 votes for Dunham. Floyd county cast 56 votes